Commercial.

THIS DAY.

4 o'clock p.m. Business in the Share Market for the current month has hardly been opened as Yesterday afternoon Banks were done at 194 for the end of the month, and 197 for December 31st, but to-day the stock is weaker, with cash sellers at 190. China Sugars have changed hands at 141 per share. No other transactions came under our notice.

Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- Hongkong and Shanghai Bank-New Issue Union Insurance Society of Canton—\$625 per share, buyers.

China Traders' Insurance Company-\$73 per share, buyers. North China Insurance-Tls. 1,450 per share. Canton Insurance Company, Limited-\$112 per

Yangtsze Insurance Association-Tls. 1015 per share, sellers. Chinese Insurance Company-\$215 per share,

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Tls. 150 per share. Hongkong Fire Insurance Company-\$355 per share, buyers.

China Fire Insurance Company-\$370 per share, Hongkong and Whampoa - Dock Company - 572 per cent. premium.

Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co. --\$49 per share, premium. China and Manila Steam Ship Company-118

per share. Hongkong Gas' Company-\$80 per share. Hongkong blotel. Company-\$150 per share,

Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited-25 per cent. dis., buyers. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$141 per share, sales. China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)-2

per cent, premium. . Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$81 , per share. . Hongkong lice Company—\$155 per share,

Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited -\$80 per share, buyers. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1878-14 per cent. prem

Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881—2 percent, prem.

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per chest \$555 New Benares, high touch (bottom) per chest..... \$560 New Persian (bestquality) perpicul, \$485 @ \$525

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CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

THIS DAY'S TELEGRAMS."

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dreds,-Thermometer, in Fahrenheit degrees and tens kept in the open air in a shaded situation. Direction of Wind, is registered every two points, N., N.N.E., N.E., stc.-Force of Wind, o calm. 1 to 3 light breeze. 3 to 5 moderate. 5 to 7 fresh. 7 to 8 strong. 2 to 10 heavy. 10 to 18 violent,-State of Weather, B. Clear blue sky., C. Cloudy. D. Drizzly. F. Fog. G. Foggy. H. Hall. L. Lightning. M. Misty. O. Overcast. P. Passing showers. Q. Squally. R. Rainy. S. Snow. T. Thunder, U. Bad, threatening P. Visibility. W. Storm Z. Calm. The etters are fepasted to ladicale say increase over the monn average of their signification. Rain. The bours of rain for the crevious as hours (noon) are registered from 1 to 84 the mentity of water fallen fadioated in taches, tens and

Shipping.

CHI-YUEN, Chinese steamer, 1,193, F. Wallace, 1st Nov.,—Singapore 25th Oct., General.— C. M. S. N. Co. CAMBODIA, British steamer, 1,968, Wildgalse,

and November,-Shanghai, and Foochow 1st November, General.—Dauvers & Co. BRECONSHIRE, British steamer, 1,248, Thomas, and Nov.,—Singapore 25th October, General.—Adamson, Bell & Co.

IENZALEH, French steamer, 1,278, Blanc, 2nd November.-Yokohama 27th October, Mails and General.-Messageries Maritimes. CANTON, British steamer, 1,095, J. C. Jaques, 1st November,-Saigon 28th October, Rice and General.-Kwong Yuen.

CHINKIANG, British steamer, 987, S. Orr, 2nd November,-Canton' 1st November, General.—Siemssen & Co. Douglas, British steamer, 982, Samuel Ashton, Foochow 30th Oct., Amoy 31st, and Swatow

1st November, General.-D. Lapraik & Co. CLEARANCES AT THE HARBOUR OFFICE. Chinhiang, British steamer, for Ningpo and Shanghai. Melbrek, British bark, for Iloilo.

DEPARTURES.

November 2, Bellona, German steamer, for Singapore, &c. November 2, Lutin, French gunboat, for a

PASSENGERS-ARRIVED.

Per Canton, str., from Saigon,-1. European and 30 Uninese, Per Chi-yuen, str., from Singapore.-670 Chi-

Fer Breconshire, str., from Singapore.-Messrs. Baejaer, Richardson, Renney, and Trew, for Japan. For Hongkong. -30 Chinese. Per Douglas, str., from Foochow, &c.-Mr. and Mrs. Pasedag, Messrs. Lozano and Johnson,

and 250 Chinese. Per Menzalch, str., from Yokohama.-For. Hongkong.-Messrs. J. M. MacMunn, de Lyeinere, B. Brien, Henry Cutler, James Beer, M. C. Colec, Ahee, Aloy, Ah Loong, Young Soun, Chan Him, Aping, Ayee, J. Franch, Lasson, Jas-colo, MacDonald, MacDiggins, Harding, Prille, Skelton, P. Peblorr, Miss Okowa, and a Chinese. For Marseilles .- Mr. Robert French.

Per Chinkiang, str., for Ningpo, &c.-25 Chi-

REPORTS.

The French steamship Menzaleh reports left okohama on the 27th ultimo. Had strong N.E. monsoon down. The British steamship Cambodia reports from

Shanghai, and Foochow on the 1st instant. Had strong N.E. monsoon all the way. The British steamship Chi-yuen reports left Singapore on the 25th ultimo. First part of voyage had light winds and fine weather; latter

part strong N.E. gale and high sea. The British steamship Breconshire reports lest Singapore on the 25th ultimo. The first and second days out had light N.E. wind; afterwards very rough weather. On the 30th at noon in lat. 16.24 N. and long. 114.7 E., wind North, gradually veering round to West; kept steady at West for about 4 hours, and blew with terrific force. From 8 to 9 p.m. nearly calm, centre of typhoon, and then came down with terrific forcefrom the SE., attended with high sea, and continued rough till arrived in port on the and instant at 8 a.m.

-The-British-steamship_Canton_reports_left Cape St. James at 4 a.m. on the 28th ultimo. Had strong monsoon and fine weather to Cape Padaran; from thence to lat. 16 N. had fresh Northerly winds and high increasing head sea. At 8 p.m. had very heavy sea, and slowed en-Wind hauling W. and Southward, and blowing hard. At midnight barometer 29.69, wind S.W. went full speed ahead and ran to the N.N.E. and then North. At 4 a.m. on the 31st wind S.S.E., blowing a steady gale and sea running in all directions. At 8 a.m. wind East and blowing and raining, with terrific squalls. At 3 p.m. steady N.E. gale and very high sea, which continued till making Ladrones at 8 p.m. on the 1st inst. On the night of the 21st, while going to Saigon, experienced a heavy typhoon in which the ship lay perfectly helpless in the trough of the sea.

AMOY SHIPPING. October-

21, Too-nan, Chinese steamer, from Swatow. 21, Ych-sin, Chinese steamer, from Shanghai 21, Minna Deutschmann, German 3-m. sch., from Chefoo.

21, Albay, British steamer, from Talwanfoo. 21, Chefoo, British steamer, from Swatow. 23; Nanzing, British steamer, from Shanghal. October-DEPARTURES.

20, Kwangtung, British steamer, for Foochow. 20, Ling-feng, Chinese gunboat, for Formosa. 22, Albay, British steamer, for Swatow. 22, Chefoo, British steamer, for Shanghai. 22. Yeh-sin, Chinese steamer, for Swatow.

POOCHOW SHIPPING. October-

13. Douglas, British steamer, from Hongkong. 13, Whampon, British steamer, from Swatow. 5, Hae-shin, Chinese str., from Shanghai. 16, Namoa, British steamer, from Hongkong.

18, Nestor, British steamer, from Shanghal. DEPARTURES. 14. Taku, British steamer, for Shanghai.

14. Naples, British steamer, for Colonies, 16, Douglas, British steamer, for Hongkong. 18, Namos, British steamer, for Hongkong. to, Hac-shin, Chinese str., for Shanghal.

VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE PROM PORTS IN JAPAN, CHINA, AND MANILA. Radnorshire (s.) JapanAug. 24 Valencia (s.)ManilaAug. 27 Catherina II. (s.) HankowAug. 29 Glaucus (s.)Shanghai, &c....Sept. 2 Benlarig (s.)FoochowSept. Amerique (s.)Shanghai, &t. ... Sept. Glenfalloch (4.)ShanghaiSept. 11 Aberdeen (s)Foochow, &c. ...Sept. 12 Rosslyn (s.).....FocchowSept. 15 Glamis Castle (s.) Hankow Sedt. 17

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Post Office.

MAIL WILL CLOSE For Hoihow and Pakhol-Per Anton, today, the 2nd instant, at 5 P.M. For Amoy and Shanghai .- Per Telemachus,

to-day, the 2nd instant, at 5 P.M. For Ningpo and Shanghai,-Per Chinkiang. o-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 11.30 A.M. For Kudat and Sandakan.—Per Thales; today, the 3rd instant, at 3.30 P.M. For Yokohama and Hiogo.—Per Breconshire, o-morrow, the 3rd instant, at 4:30 P.M.

For Straits Settlements .- Per Europa, tomorrow, the 3rd instant, at 4.30 P.M. For Saigon.—Per C. T. Hook, on Sunday, the 4th instant, at 9 A.M. For Swalow, Amoy, & Foochow.-Per Douglas,

on Monday, the 5th instant, at 5 P.M. For Nagasaki, Hiogo, and Yokohama.-Per Zambesi, on Friday, the 16th instant, at 11.30

SHIPPING IN HONGKONG.

ARRATOON APCAR, British steamer, 1,392, A. B. Mactavish, 22nd October,-Calcutta 7th October, Penang 13th, and Singapore 16th, Opium, Saltpetre, and Sundries.—D. Sas-

CHINA, German steamer, 648, Schoer, 13th Oct., -Amoy 11th October, General.-Yuen Fat. Hong.-Kowloon Dock. CHOLLERTON, British steamer, 1,733; James

Clark, 26th October,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 5th October, Coal.-Siemssen & Co. C. T. HOOK, British steamer, 902, W. Jarvis, 28th October, Saigon 22nd October, Rice, Paddy, and Rice Flour.-Thos. Howard

DON JUAN, Spanish steamer, 684, Jose M. Marquez, 29th October,-Manila 26th October. General.-Brandao & Co. EUROPA, German steamer, 1,003, John Schade,

20th October,-Saigon 16th October, Rice. -Melchers & Co. ELECTRA, German steamer, 1,161, E. Kaler, 31st October, - Saigon 25th October, Rice. -

Siemssen & Co. EMUY, Spanish steamer, 410, Rementeria, 30th June,-Manila 27th June, General.-Remedios & Co.-Kowloon Dock. FAME, British steamer, 117, A. Stopani.—Hong-

kong and Whampoa Dock Co. HAILOONG, British steamer, 277, F. Ashton, 26th October,-Tameui 23rd October, and Amoy 25th, General,-D. Lapraik & Co,-Kawloon Dock.

HAINAN, British steamer, 281, J. Woone, 20th October, -- Haiphong 16th October, Pakhoi 17th, and Holhow 19th, General,-Afong LI YUNG, Annamite steamer, 150, Chun, 19th

June, Touron-15th-June, General, Chi-MADRAS, British steamer, 1,080, James White Swan, 29th October,-Honolulu 1st Oct., General,—Thos. Howard & Co.

MIRAMAR, British steamer, 891, Duggan, 1st November,-Rangoon 11th October, Penang. 16th, Singapore 19th, and Saigon 25th, Rice and Paddy.-Bun Hin & Co. MONGKUT, British steamer, 859, J. H.: Loff, 1st November,-Bangkok 24th October, Gene-

ral.-Yuen Fat Hong. OCEANIC, British steamer, 1,808, Davison, 27th October San Francisco 27th September, and Yokohama 21st October, Mails and General.—O. & O. S. S. Co. ROMULUS, Spanish steamer, 531, L. Fremoya,

27th October, -Manila 24th October, Ballast, - Dunn, Melbyc & Co. SEA GULL, American steamer, 48, Hayden, Nov. 24th,-China Traders' Insurance Co. TELEMACHUS, British steamer, 1,421, Henry Jones, 31st Oct.,-London 12th Sept., and Singapore 24th October, General.—Butter-

field & Swire. THALES, British steamer, 820, T. G. Pocock, 20th October,-Kudat, and Sandakan 14th October, Firewood and General.-D. Lapraik & Co. TROMP, Dutch steamer, 137, A. S. Roe, 11th

October,-Celebes 27th Sept., General.-Gee Cheong Hong. ORTIGERN, British steamer, 908, J. Brown, 28th October,-Calcutta, and Singapore.

20th October, General.-Ah Yon.

SAILING VESSELS.

ASTERIA, British brig, 211, Samuel Cox, 26th September,-Normanton (North Queensland) 18th Sept., Ballast.-Captain.

BOTHWELL CASTLE, British bark, 592, James Romney, 26th October,-Newchwang 12th October, Beans.—Chune Cheong Hong. CHARTES BAL, British ship, 1,431, W. J. Watson.
16th September,—Cardiff 6th May, Coals.—

Russell & Co. DIAMOND, British bark, 391, Ness, 31st October, -Kuchinotau 21st October, Coal. - Captain. ERNST, German 3-m. schooner, E. Hildebrand,

20th October,-Newchwang 17th October, Beans.-Wieler & Co. -GOLIAH, Siamese bark, 542, Roche, 10th Oct.,
—Whochin 16th September, Wood.—Order.

GUSTAV & OSCAR, German ship, 1,352, G. Sec-mann, 9th October,—Cardiff 1st June, Coals. -Russell & Co. HAVDN BROWN, American bark, 822, C. H. Hevener, 15th Oct.,-Newcastle, N.S.W., 1st August, Coals,-Russell & Co.

HERMINE, Swedish bark, 280, F. Lonngren, 39th October, - Amoy 26th October, General .- Captain. H. W. Dudley, American bark, 1,085, D. W.

Dudley, 1st Sept .- Nagasaki 23rd August, Coal .-- Captain. A. BORLAND, American bark, 635, Y. Kent, 8th September,-Newcastle 6th July, Coal.—Russell & Co.

MAGIC, British schooner, 214, White, 20th Aug. -Newchwang 25th July, Beans, Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

Siemssen & Co. MELEREE, British bark, 867, H. Lightbody, 29th September,-Cardiff 7th June, Coal.-Messageries Maritimes. MOUNT, LEBANON, British bark, 530, Chas. H.

Nelson, 12th Oct., Whampon 1th Oct. -Rozario & Co.-Repairing at Cosmopolitan Dock NARDOO, British bark, 379, L.F. Morrison, 29th October,-Newchwang 10th October, Beans.

-Siemssen & Co. ONEIDA, American ship, 1,130, Carver, 27th. October,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 28th August, Coal.—Russell & Co. OTTO, German ship, 1,205, Fortmann, 31st Oct.

-Shanghai 26th October, Ballast,-Russell & Co. SEA RIPPLE, British barkentine, 182, A. Rickers, 24th Sept., Freemantle 19th August, Sandalwood.—Siemssen & Co.

SILVER EAGLE, British bark, 908, S. Richards, 31st August, London oth May, General — Arnhold, Karberg & Co. SPARTAN, American schooner, 85, Ch. Vincent 26th July,-from Chungchow,--W. H. Ray.

HONGKONG -SAILING VESSELS. Continued.

S. S. RIDOWAY, Amer, bark, 833, H, S. Townsend, 12th Sept., Bangkok 25th August, General. Chinese. THREE BROTHERS, British bark, 366, Kahlcke 1st Sept.,-Quinhon 25th August, General -Ee Tye Hong.

TWILIGHT, American ship, 1,265, W. C. War-land, 8th June,—Newcastle, N.S.W., 14th April, Coal.—Adamson, Bell & Co. WALLS CASTLE, British bark, 626, Kennett, 23rd October, -Guinayangan 28th Sept., Wood. -

Lane, Crawford & Co. VILDWOOD, American bark, 1,099, Chas. P. Sawyer, 23rd Sept.,—Nagasaki 14th Sept., Coal.—M. B. M. S. S. Co. WM. MANSON, British bark, 366, H. Kindred,

1st October,-Newchwang 18th September, Beans.-Russell & Co. ZOUAVE, American ship, 1,202, Robert C. Loper, 3rd August,-Cardiff 4th April, Coals.-P. & O. S. N. Co.

CANTON.

AMOY, British steamer, 814, D. Herrmann, 29th October, -- Chefoo 24th October, Beans.-Siemssen & Co.

WHAMPOA.

NHEM, Swedish 3-m. sch., 463, Jansson, 28th October,-Newchwang 16th October, Beans. - Siemssen & Co.

RIVER STEAMERS.

Hankow, British steamer, 2,235, Ogston.-Butterfield & Swire. Ho-nam, British steamer, 1,377-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.-Laid up. Kiang-ping, Chinese steamer, 360, Holmes.— C. M. S. N. Co. Kiu-kiang, British steamer, 617, T. Benning .-

Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. Kiung-chow, British steamer, 159, Goggin,-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co. Powan, British steamer, 1,890, G. B. Lefavor.-Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat Co. White Cloud, British steamer, 527, A. Benning. -Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steam-boat

Yot-sai, British steamer, 180, Hoyland .- Hongkong, Canton, & Macao Steamboat Co.

AMOY.

In Port on 23rd October, 1883.

Brunette, British bark, 375 (Turnbull)-H. A Petersen & Co. Chateaubriand, British bark, 409 (Edward)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Helene, German bark, 250—Boyd & Co.

Hilda Maria, German bark, 275 (E. Tennis)-Pasedag & Co. Lucky, Siamese bark, 425 (Siqueira)-Dauver Meridian, Siamese bark, 345 (Kruse)-Pasedag

Milton, Norwegian bark, 467 (Kroger)-H. A. Petersen & Co. Minna Deutschmann, German schooner, 164 (Spierling)-Chinese. W. Minstrel, British bark, 362 (Sievewright)-

FOOCHOW.

In Port on 20th October, 1883.

Kristina Nilsson, American brig, 297 (Thomson)

-Russell & Co.

Boyd & Co.

SHANGHAI. In Port on 24th October, 1883.

Anglo-Indian, British bark, 444 (Henningson) Nils Moller. Batavia, British bark, 366 (Oberg)-Nils Moller. Chingtah, Chinese bark, 472 (Taylor)-C. M.

Chloris, German bark, 334 (Matzun)-Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Earl of Elgin, British bark, 979 (Morrison)-S. C. Farnham & Co.

Edward May, American bark, 890 (Johnson)-W. Hewett & Co. George, British bark, 895 (Grant)-Adamson, Hugo & Otto, Norwegian bark, 370 (Koodt)-Lewis Hopkins. John D. Brewer, American bark, 926 (Josselyn)

Russell & Co. Kolga, British bark, 359 (Roper)—Nils Moller. Leander, British ship, 148 (Hamilton)—J. W. Otto, German ship, 1,205 (Foltmasson)-C. & J. Trading Co.

> NAGASAKI. In Port on 20th October, 1883.

Catherine Marden, British bark, (Danielsen)-Ryle Holme. Kanagawa Maru, Japan. bark, 1,184 (Eckstrand) Sumanoura Maru, Japanese bark, 925 (Spiegelthal)-M. B. M. Co.

> YOKOHAMA. In Port on 20th October, 1883

Alma, American schooner, 52. (Tibbey)-J. D. Carroll & Co. Black Diamond, German bark, 670 (Boyd)-P. Bride, British bark, 300 (Sutherland)-H, Mac-E. von Beaulieu, German bark, 336 (Getting)-Gloaming, British ship, 1,498 (Densmore)-C. &

Guam, British schooner, 294 (Marns)—Master. Hindon Hall, British ship, 1,416 (Leighton)— C. Illies & Co. Sagitta, British bark, 579 (Taylor)-Frazar Isla de Mindanao (s.)...ManilaSept. 3 MARIE, German, bark, 430, Thomaschewsky, Sattara, British bark, 940 (Jenkins)—Max Raspg Orestes (s.)ShanghaiSept. 6 27th August,—Swatow August 10th, Ballast. & Co. Sooloo, British bark, 350 (Baike)-M. B. S.

S. Co. MANILA.

In Port on 1st October, 1881. Amoy, German schooner, 385-Smith, Belli Auguste, French bark, 870-Peele, Hubbell Bowsell, British ship, 1,002—Ker & Co.

Cyprus, British ship, 1,392—Peele, Hubbell Elise, German ship, 1,348-Macleod & Co. Grandee, American ship, 1,295-Peele, Hubbell

H. A. Litchfield, American bark, 638-Peele, Hubbell & Co. Bremer, German schooner, 332-Smith, Bell lda, British hark, 658—Holliday, Wise & Co.

John Micholson, British bark, 685-W. F. Sten venson & Co. Pepita, Spanish bark, 512-J, Reyes & Co. Polyhesian, British bark, 864-Ker & Co. Undine, German bark, 968—Smith, Bell & Cac

HER BRITANNIC MAJESTY'S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON.

Albatross, screw sloop, 4 guns, Commander Audacious, double-screw iron frigate, Captain R. E. Tracey, Yokohama. Champion, corvette, 14 guns, Captain A. T. Pow-

Icit. Sunda Straits. Cleopatra, corvette, 14 guns, Captain H. N. Hippisley, Hongkong. Cockchafer, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander R. L. Groome, Hongkong. Curacoa, corvette, 14 guns, Captain Anstruther,

Daring, composite sloop, 4 guns, Commander F. I. J. Eliott, Hongkong. Esk, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, In reserve, Espoir, gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Gamble,

Flying-Fish, sloop, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander Hoskyn, Shanghai. Fly, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander J. Hope, Bangkok. Foxhound, gunboat, 4 guns, Lieut.-Commander McQuhae, Shanghai.

Kestrel, double-screw gun-vessel, 4 guns, Commander E. Hotham, Chefoo. Linnet, British gunboat, 5 guns, Commander G. Jones, Canton. Magpie, surveying vessel, 4 guns, Lieut.-Com. Hon. F. Vereker, Sunda Straits.

Midge, double-screw gun-vessel, Commander E Hotham, in reserve, Hongkong. Pegasus, sloop, 6 guns, Commander E. F. Day, en route Singapore. Sapphire, corvette, 9 guns, Commander John R. T. Fullerton, Chefoo,

der W. Collins, Pakhoi. Tweed, double-screw gunboat, 3 guns, in reserve, Hongkong. Victor Emmanuel, receiving ship, 20 guns, Com-

modore Cuming, Hongkong. mander Maxwell, Yokohama, Wivern, turret-ship, 4 guns, in reserve, Hong Pollard, Hongkong.

FOREIGN MEN-OF-WAR ON-TH. CHINA STATION.

Abreck, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Captain Schanz, Vladivostock. Cher, French gunboat, Commander Lason, Duke of Edinburgh, Russian ironclad, Captain

de Giers, Yokohama. Enterprise, American corvette, Commander A. S. Baker, en route to Shanghal. Ermak, Russian transport, Captain Koltchau, Essex, American gun-yessel, 6 guns, Captain McCormack, Nagasaki. Gornostai, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander

Stark, Vladivostock. Hamelin, French cruiser, Commander H. Roustan, Haiphong. Iltis, German gunboat, 8 guns, Commander, Klausa, Canton. Juniata, American corvette, Commander P. F.

Kersaint, French corvette, Commander Beau-

mont. Tonquin. Leipzig, German corvette, 16 guns, Captain Herbig, Shanghai. Legaspi, Spanish transport, Commander Valentin Buenaplata, Shanghai. Lutin, French gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Rouvier, Hongkong. Monocacy, American gunboat, 6 guns, Comman-

Morge, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Tatarinoff, Vladivostock. Najezdnick, Russian corvette, Captain Kalagerass, Yokohama. Nerpa, Russian gunboat, 7. guns, Commander Valrondt, Vladivostock. pritchnik, Russian cruiser, Commander H. Ivas: hentzoff, en route Vladivostock.

der C. S. Cotton, Tientsin.

Palos, American gunboat, 6 guns, Lieutenant, Commander Green, Taiwan. Pensacola, American frigate, Captain H. Esben, Richmond, American frigate, 14 guns, Captain Skerrett, Yokohama. Skobeleff, Russian corvette, Captain Blanodareff,

Sobol, Russian gunboat, 7 guns, Commander Hoyle, Nagasaki. Stosch, German corvette; 19 guns, Captain Buchholts, Hongkong. Tamega, Portuguese gunboat, Commander da Costa Cabral, Macao. Tongous, Russian gunboat, Commander Heck, Tourville, French frigate, 27 guns, Captain Bose, Triomphante, French corvette, 17 guns, Captain

Baux, Shanghai, Victorieuse, French frigate, 14 guns, Captain de la Batie,-Hongkong. Villars, French corvette, 15 guns, Captain M-Dewatre, Shanghai. Volta, French, corvette, Captain Fournier, Vostock, Russian gunboat, 4 guns, Commander Molchonsky, Vladivostock

Wolf, German gunboat, 4 guns, Commander von Raven, Korea.

CANTON GUNBOAT SQUADRON,

An-lan, Viceroy's gunboat, 7 guns, Lin Kuo Chee-hing, Revenue cruiser, 2 guns, Chinese Captain, Canton. Chan-to, Viceroy's gunboat, 7 guns, J. Stewart, Chén-jui, Revenue cruiser, 3 guns, Chinese Chingron, Revenue cruiser, 2 guns, Chung Wing Ching-tsing, Viceroy's gunboat, 4 guns, F. Bes-Chop-chung, Revenue cruiser,-Li Tack Ming. Chop-sai, Viceroy's gunboat, Chang, on a cruise, Hai-ch'ang-ching, Revenue cruiser, 3 guns, Wu Hai-king-ching, Viceroy's gunboat, 3 guns, Ho Pung Shu, Canton, Holtung-hung, Viceroy's gunbost, Lenng Yiu-Ting, Canton. Hua-shan, Viceroy's gunboat, 2 guns, H. J. Faunch Li-shé, Revenue cruiser, 3 guns, Chinese, Canton.
Peng-chao-hai, Revenue cruiser, 4 guns, Chow
Shoi, Hongkong. Quang-on, Viceroy's gunboat, 4 guns, Lie Ping Shan-chij-Revenue cruiser, 5 guns, Sau Tsung

Sui-tsing. Viceroy's gunboat, 4 guns, - J. B. Murray, Hal Ling Shan, Tching-on; Victroy's gunboat, 2 guns, Chinese Admiral, Bogue Forts Tching-po, Viceroy's gunbost, 3 guns, Ching Tchun-tung, Revenue cruiser, a guns, Chun Ti Hu, West Coast Tsing-po, Viceroy's gunboat, 6 guns, Chinese

Tai. Hongicong

Captain, Canton Vi-hu. Viceroy's gunboat, 2 guns, Chinese, Yu-min, Viceroy's gunboat, 3 guns, J. Yeats, Intimations.

IMPORTANT INTIMATION.

JANUARY 1st.

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The above work will be published at the Office of this Paper, and will contain a Directory for the Ports in the large portion of Asia comprised between Penang, in the Straits-Settlements, and the Northern Chinese Ports, including Wladiwostock, Formosa, the Treaty Ports of China and Japan, the Philippine Islands, British North Borneo, the British Colony of Hongkong, and the Portuguese Colony of Macao. The work will also contain the Principal Treaties between European countries Swift, double-screwgun-vessel, 5 guns, Comman- and the United States and the countries East of the Straits, including the New Treaties between RUSSIA AND CHINA

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Hongkong, 9th October, 1883.

NOTES FROM JAPANESE PAPERS.

A new steamer named Oki Maru has been | Seven Japanese sailors from the British barque built at the Nagasaki dockyard for the Kivodo | Wandering Minstrel were brought up before Unyu Kwaisha.

. The Government has sanctioned the engage ment of two German instructors by the Military College authorities.

Kakke is raging among the troops in th Osaka garrison; and many of them have succumbed to the disease.

A considerable number of copper coins have been struck off at the Mint, to replace as far as possible the paper tokens.

been recalled. A rumor has it that he will be promoted. Mr. Miyamoto, a Senator of the of their expenditure. Genro-in, is spoken of as his successor.

Lately, three Krupp (7) guns were picked up in the sea off Sakurajima, Kagoshima, where an English man-of-war was fired upon by the clansmen of Satsuma. They have been sent to the Osaka Arsenal to be put in order.

"The authorities contemplate issuing Exchequer Bills after the English model, to the amoun of from yen three millions to yen seven millions In our opinion, they can be issued to the amount of yen ten million without injury to the people.

The Nobles' Club has decided to establish preparatory military school for the instruction of the sons of the nobility. The Mikado, on nearing of the project, expressed his intention to give an annual subsidy of yen 3,000 to the school for the next five years.

A report from the prefecture of Shimane says that the Chausu colliery, in the district of Yamashiro, gives out subterranean roars by day and night. The people in the neighbourhood are fearful that these noises may be signs of an impending volcanic eruption.

A rumour is current to the effect that H.I.H. Les Komatso-no-miya was privately offered the vacancy in the cabinet caused by the death of H.E. Iwakura. His. Highness is reported have declined, but promised, however, that he will give the proposal his consideration.

A large gun has been manufactured in the Arsenal on the model of the Krupp gun. It is made of bronze; and on trial a satisfactory result was obtained.—The War-Department has ordered twelve more pieces to be made. The Government has engaged a skillful gun-maker from Italy. The necessary machinery for making Krupp guns has been bought.

The quality of Horonai coal has been tested on board_the_steamship_Kosuge_Maru, of the distance, 100 feet. He went down in fine style, Kiyodo Unyu Kwaisha, and the chief engineer and rose to the surface amid the huzzas of the gives the following report upon it:- The Horonai coal, after a fair trial, proved to contain less ash than Karatsu; it is decidedly of slow combustion and is a great heat-producing fuel, raising steam equal to first class English coal."

Mr. Shinagawa, Vice Minister of Agriculture and Commerce, has brought from Hokkaido a large dog of the Esquimaux species, and presented it to the Zoological Gardens. In the North it is used for drawing sleighs and is as swift as a horse. It lives on fish, and its coat is exceedingly-soft, fine, and strong. The skins as particles of commerce rank next to those of the

The police returns for Toklyo for the month of September last give the following particulars: -suicides 38, murders 28, burglaries 27, petty larcenies 12,000, burglars arrested 8, thieves arrested 221, swindlers 41, men committed for major crimes 10, those committed for minor crimes 316, women whose sentences have been commuted to, those who have given themselves up to the authorities 14. The ages of criminals are:-Upwards of sixty years 4, those below that age 267 males and 16 females, those under the age of 20 years, 52 males and 26 females, those below-16-years-21 males and 1 female, and below II years i male.

Correspondence from Korea says that Mr. Möllendorff is invested with the most important functions in the Korean Government and exercises considerable power in the foreign and domestic policy of the country. Discussion is rife as to the advantage or otherwise; of the Korean Government employing him. Korean officers are very poorly paid, and bribery is said to be common. The farmers living in the vicinity of Pusan are exerting themselves to bring all the waste land under cultivation. As Koreans do not like foreign silver or gold money, travellers are obliged to carry with them a considerable quantity of native coins. As a rule, they prefer bartering to taking money. This is probably the outcome of the squeezing that people are subject to who accumulate riches.-

A letter from Kores says:-The second instalment-yen 50,000-of the Soul indemnity has been paid to the Japanese Consulate at Inchhön. The Korean Government had great difficulty in obtaining the money, which forms a part of the loan secured from China through the mediation of Mr. Möllendorff. The trade regulations enacted between Japan and Korea are expected to produce a disastrous offect upon the commerce between the two countries. Business is generally active about this time of the season; but this year it does not exceed yen 110,000 per month. The principal article of import is copper, which is in great demand now, owing to a considerable quantity of copper coins being struck. On the other hand, the exports are confined to gold dust; but lately the quantity has decreased. Korean merchants frequently bring ancient gold coins and silver utensils, which have doubtless been handed down to them generation after generation, to exchange for copper. This shows the insolvent condition of the natives. Japanese residents are flocking here and number about three hundred. But only twenty of them are bond fids traders, whilst the rest are men who have come in the hope of making their fortunes by chance. The majority of them are Taishu men, who resort to violence in dealing with the natives, consequently litigation is constantly carried on between the natives and set-The Japanese and American men-of-war are always lying in the harbour. Japan Daily Maile

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the British Consul on October 25th for refusal of duty. In reply to the charge, they said that they had sweet instead of foreign potatoes for break-fast, which made them sick. Their excuses not being considered satisfactory, the British Consul sentenced them to three days' imprisonment. A charge of dynamite was fired off the other day to blow up the wreck of the steamship Pakhoi, but with what results except bringing up a lot of fish we cannot say, as the diver has not been down to inspect her yet. There was a noisy scramble on the part of the Celestial boatmen with baskets, shrimping nets, hats, buckets and anything they could lay their hands on to rake the fish up. We would advise the owners Admiral Yenomoto, Minister to China, has of the Pakhoi to let out by contract the catching of the fish, which would repay them for some

We are informed that a Chinaman was wandering about Kulangsu yesterday with two tigerpups, of which he was anxious to dispose. They were caught near Nan Tai Bu, the wary Celestial having watched the old tigress out of her den and then captured her progeny. The price de-manded was, we believe, forty dollars, but no doubt the owner would let them go much cheaper than that in the end. Here is a good chance for the sportsmen of Amoy. Those anxious to have a shot at a tigress should have no difficulty in finding this one. She will probably be on the look out for them.

We have since been informed that our statement that the two tiger whelps referred to in our issue of yesterday as having been captured at Nan Tai Bu, is not true. It appears they were captured at Poh Sai, below Kang Bay and are now in Kulangsoo where they seem to thrive well. To have 'a shot at the tigress, local sportsmen have simply to arm themselves and proceed to the spot where the young ones were caught and place the whelps (in a cage) thereabouts, when they wil be sure of success. 'We understand that the cubs are for sale and forty dollars is the price.-

SAM PATCH'S LAST LEAP.

The fate of Captain Webb at the rapids of Niagara having awakened a melancholy interest in similar occurrences, a correspondent of the Union has been at the pains to furnish the following in relation to Sam Patch's exploits in this place, clipped from a city paper of early

SAM PATCH'S LAST LEAP. We have often been requested by travelers and others to republish the particulars of Sam Patch's last leap from the falls, but not having in our possession any newspaper files of that year, we are unable to do so. In answer to an inquiry in our daily yesterday, Mr. Henry Scrantoo, of this city, has furnished us, from his private journal, the following: "The first leap took place on Friday, the 6th of November, 1829; multifude. The number of persons present was estimated at 7,000 to 8,000. The last and fatal leap, which took place one week after, was ad vertised in the Antimasonic Inquirer, as follows

HIGHER YET. SAM'S LAST JUMP. "Some things can be done as well as others." There's no Mistake in Sam Patch .- Of the truth of this he will endeavor to convince the good people of Rochester and vicinity, next Friday, November 13th, at 2 o'clock p.m. Being termined to "astonish the natives" of the West-before he returns to the Jerseys, he willhave a scaffold, twenty-five feet in height, erected on the brink of Genessee Falls, in this village, from which he will fearlessly leap into the abysa below, a distance of 125 feet. Sam's bear (at three o'clock precisely) will make the same jump and follow his master, thus showing conclusively that "some things can be done as well as others." Moreover, Sam hopes that all the good people who attend this astonishing exhibition will contribute something towards remunerating him for the seemingly hazardous

The following is the Antimasonic Inquirer's

notice of the exploit; "The ominous expression contained in the reckless Patch's advertisement has been fearfully vindicated. It was indeed his 'last jump.' He jumped from a staging twenty-five feet above the brink of the falls into the abyss below, from whence his body has not yet been recovered. 'A variety of reasons are given for the fatal termination of this presumptuous feat. All, however, concur in saying that Patch, from some cause or other, did not retain the proper position while descending, or strike the water as he didon the former occasion. It was a daring and useless exposure of human life; which; having resulted disastrously, creates a train of painful reflections. Wewould not dwell upon this distressing scene, and yet we cannot banish it from our thoughts." We still see the frail mortal standing, as it proved, on the brink of eternity! The terrifled imagination follows him from the giddy height, through the thin air, into the doep, dark chasm-below It lingers but a few moments of breathless and agonized suspense! The waters, troubled moment in swallowing their victim, are at rest The expiring bubbles announce that the spirit has departed, leaving the body in the dark bosom of the ocean buried! The multitude shrink away abashed and rebuked!"-Rochester Union.

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Hongkong, and November, 1883.

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NOTICE.

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HONGKONG, FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 1883.

The special paragraphist of our evening. contemporary evidently believes that ignorance is the mother of devotion; at al events, he tries hard to act up to that strange truism. Last night this special paragraphist—the hand is uncommonly like that of the talented youth whose inventive genius made GRIBBLE famousamuses himself by writing a lot of twaddling rubbish, which is apparently specially intended as a disparagement of Mr. CAMERON, of the London Standard, in his capacity of special correspondent to that well known journal. It seems a great pity that the China Mail mirror of chivalrous journalism did not make his attack he was not only first in the field at Hanoi, on Mr. Cameron whilst that redoubtable "war special" was in our midst; but no ahead of all his rivals with his telegraphic doubt it was considered safer policy to despatches announcing the French repulse. wait until the stalwart Scotchman had Mr. CANERON braved the discomforts of life shaken the dust of Hongkong from his

In quite a friendly sort of way, we would again remind our evening contemporary that a little knowledge is a dangerous thing. The self-constituted critic always looks supremely ridiculous when, by sheer passage to enable him to witness the criticism on the very subject he pretends greatly to his disgust, was peremptorily before reaching Manila, and part of it took ignorance, he lays himself open to adverse to know so much about. In disparaging-Mr. CAMERON, this particular critic says:-"Mr. Colquious possessed the great ad- so called insurgents, in that famous march vantage over Mr. CAMERON of having a thorough knowledge of the East, gained fields outside Namdinh, which ended so by experience in Southern China, Burmah | disastrously for the badly armed Tonand India. In the latest Times received quinese. Mr. Colquioun, on the other there appears a marvellously good description of Tonquin; its resources and prospects, from his pen. It occupies about six columns, and constituted the remarkable message he despatched per cable from Colombo." Not to put extract is simply ignorant trash. The able, to decide for themselves, whether our and altogether unnecessary comparison | tolling Mr. Colqueoux to the disparagebetween the respective correspondents mentofMr.Cameron, in the manner indulged daily paper. Mr. Colquioun never pre- quette.

tended to be a journalist, and his acquaintance with Southern China solely consists of the journey related in his readable book "Across Chryse"--and is, moreover, of a most superficial character. His experiences in India and Burmah were those of a mining engineer in the service of the Indian

Government, and not as a journalist. Having taken a considerable amount of interest in Burmah, the Shan States, and the southern portion of the Chinese Empire, and further having read up and carefully studied the results of Francis Garnier's and, Duruis's explorations on the Red River, besides being a man of energy and sound common sense, -Mr. Col-QUHOUN was, no doubt, eminently qualified in many respects to represent the leading English journal in Tonquin, although he brought no previous journalistic experience to the task, and had no special knowledge of military tactics like Mr. CAMERON, or Colonel GILDER of the New York Herald-or even Mr. QUINTON of the China Mail who, we understand, is or was a distinguished member of a certain "crack" volunteer corps. We have read with interest the lengthy article sent Hongkong on August 30th, and we gladly to-morrow, Saturday. bear testimony to the patient research, keen powers of observation, and practical foresight displayed in almost every line of this most carefully compiled report. I may, however, fairly be left open to doubt whether it can be truthfully described as "a marvollously good description of Tonquin, its resources and prospects." Having been in Tonquin with Mr. Совоинови, and knowing the full extent of the opportunities afforded that gentleman for obtaining information about the country-altogether apart from our own personal experiences -without in any way desiring to disparage. or underrate the value of the genial explorer's views of the present seat of war in the south, we are bound to say that in several important particulars he is strikingly inaccurate, and in others his statements and premises have only shadowy

foundations. However, Mr. Colquioux's

report taken in its entirety is a most valu-

able one, and on another occasion we shall

deal practically, analytically, and at length

with its most salient features.

And now a few words about Mr. CAMERon's supposed ignorance of Eastern affairs, to which the China Mail so triumphantly alludes in venting its petty spite on the absent journalist. It will, no doubt, surprise our well informed (i) evening contemporary to learn that nearly the whole of Mr. CAMERON'S journalistic experiences were obtained in the East, on a leading paper in Bombay-the Gazette, if we mistake not-where he served in an-editorial capacity for years. His work as special correspondent for the London Standard in Egypt and Madagascar gained for the energetic young Gael-for Mr. CAMERON a true-born Highlander-a nam and position second only amongst-daring bags of mail-matter on board, including the war correspondents to Archibald Forezs and MacGahan. And Mr. Cameron's Tonquin correspondence will greatly add to his reputation as a skille-1, fearless and wards 18 bags were recovered, and subseenterprising journalist. He was the only newspaper representative in the country present at the sortles from Namdinh, and but was clever enough to get twelve hours in Tonquin for many weeks; he went over the country to every available spot where hostilities were likely to occur; he journeyed some 60 miles out to Halong Bay in a steam launch, and bearded Admiral Cour-DET on board the French flagship for a threatened bombardment of Hue, which, refused; and he accompanied Colonel BADENS and his Annamese against the under a heavy fire through the paddy, on the 24th ultimo. Nothing of note occurred hand, stayed a few days in Halphong; he then, in company with Mr. CAMERON and Colonel GILDER, paid a flying visit Hanol, where he stayed for a few days

and returned direct to Hongkong. In the face of these few plain truths, we too fine a point on it, the foregoing leave the public, should they consider it desirtaste displayed in drawing an invidious evening contemporary was justified in exof the Times and Standard is, to say the in last night. As these two gentlemen are least, questionable, and what is far worse, on equally friendly terms with ourselves, the writer does not hesitate to ignore well | the only aims we have in view in making known facts, and play with the truth to the above explanation are to prevent our establish his contention. Everybody ac- readers from being misled by the China quainted with current literature knows Mail's unjust and unfounded aspersions on that Mr. Colquioun's knowledge of the Mr. CAMERON's professional character, and East, "gained by experience in Southern to thoroughly expose the spiteful ignorance China, Burmah and India" is not that of the person who has displayed so unneknowledge likely to be of much practical cessarily and so unjustifiably such a conuse to the war correspondent of a London temptible disregard of journalistic eti-

TELEGRAMS.

LONDON, November 1st. M. FERRY ON THE TONQUIN QUESTION. In the French Chamber of Deputies-M. Ferr stated that the Government had no intention to declare war against China and that China would not declare war. As soon as Sontay and Bacninh were captured, nobody would be able to expel the French from Tonquin.

The Chamber passed a vote of confidence in the Ministry. .

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

THE French gunboat Lutin left for Canton this

H.M.S. Audacious, the flagship of Vice-Admiral Willes, left Yokohama for Kobe on the 24th ulto.

THE Russian men-of-war Duke of Edinburgh and Skobeloff left Yokohoma on the 24th ulto. Their destination is not stated.

THE O. and O. Co.'s steamer Coptics with the next American mail, lest Yokohama this morning at daylight, and is expected here on the 8th

By kind permission of Colonel Parnell and the Officers of the Buffs, the Band of the Regiment by Mr. Colquious to the Times from will perform on the Cricket Ground from 4 p.m.

> WE read that "80,000 Americans annually visit Europe, and that on an average they spend 2500 dols, each." This is a very broad calculation, but we should like to know how the compiler arrives at the totals in reference to the

> "How profoundly still and beautiful is the night! she whispered, leaning her finely-veined temple against his coat-collar and fixing her dreamy eyes on the far-off Pleiades. "How soothing! -"Yes," he replied, toying with the golden aureola of her hair; "and what a night to shoot

A STORY is told in the life of John Hill Burton, of a Scotch judge who, on pronouncing sentence on an assassin who had stabbed a soldier, did it in this way-" You did not only maliciously, wickedly, and feloniously stab or cut his person, thereby depriving him of life, but did also sever the band of his military breeches, which are Her

WE are pleased to learn that Mr. Taro Ando, the genial and popular Japanese Consular representative at this port, has been appointed to an important position in the Foreign Office at Tokio. Mr. Taro Ando has made many friends during his stay in Bongkong, who will join with us in congratulating him on his well-merited promotion. Mr. Matchida will succeed Mr. Ando as Japanese consul here.

A DIMER-OUT, who has had more than his share of the wine, is carefully feeling his way home atnight, when he unfortunately stumbles against the circular railing which surrounds a statue. After having gone round it about seven times, the hopelessness of his situation flashes upon him. with vividness, and he sinks down upon the pavement outside, with a despairing shrick. "The scoundrels, they've shut me in here!"

-THE-Fapan-Mail-says-that-according-to-the-Official Garette, when the Kworio Maru wa wrecked at Kamodono-mura, Kishu, she had 5; foreign mail from Tokio and Yokohama to Kobe, Nagasaki, and Shimonoseki. The whole of the bags were lost with the ship, but two days afterquently, through strenuous efforts, 34 more bags were fished up. There are only 5 bags now missing, but the correspondence in those recovered is so damaged that addresses in many instances are almost illegible.

THE Harbour Master courteously forwarded us the following telegram, received late last night:-

MANILA, 1st November. Another typhoon is raging S. E. & S. of Mani-To-morrow morning early something of it will be felt here (Manila) with wind from the East. The vortex is passing South, but it rather distant. Direction appears to be from S.E. to W.N.W."

-Early this morning the following additional information was received by wire :-

MANILA, and November.

The Typhoon announced yesterday dispersed the direction West, through 12 and 13 Latitude.

REPORT of the steamer Breconshire from Lon-

don and Singapore :- Left the latter port at 8 a.m. until the 30th, when the weather set in bad; 8; a.m., wind N.N.W. strong. The electric appearance of the clouds and a falling barometer prognosticated an approaching typhoon. Gaffawere sent down, extra sea gaskets passed, and all made anug; 12 o'clock noon, wind increasing rapidly. By 4 o'clock it was blowing a heavy gale, the wind in the meantime backing to the N.W. with torrents of rain. Barometer 30-15 falling : 6 p.m. wind still increasing, and barometer falling rapidly. 7.30 p.m. barometer stood at 29.75, oscillating fully half a tenth by the atmospheric pressure. The wind reached its climax at about this time, blowing a perfect hurricane. An hour later the wind-dropped-a little and backed round to the S.E., when itagain, after a brief interval, blew with terrific force from that quarter. The path of the storm would be from S.E. to N.W., the vortex passing directly over our position, 250 miles south of Hongkong. Subsequently until our arrival it continued to blow a moderate gale from N.E., with a very high sea. barometer began to rise rapidly after midnight of the 30th, but the clouds were still preserving their wild unsettled appearance. The seas during the storm were making a clean breach over the entire ship, and washing everything moveable

WE understand that the work of negotiating the small Chinese government loan referred to be let down casy, his subordinates give him a in these columns a short time ago, has been \$7 gold-headed cane, to receive which costs him placed in the hands of the Hongkong and \$37 for wine. - New Orleans Picayune. Shanghai Banking Comoration.

Two young Paisley ladies were standing by the side of a wide ditch in Bruce township, which they didn't know how to cross. They appealed to a boy who was coming along the road for help, whereupon, the Advocate reports, he pointed behind them with a startled air and 'yelled "snakes !" The young ladies crossed the ditch at a single bound.

SAYS the Japan Daily Mail of the 20th ulto .:-The Chilose Maru, which left here yesterday for Hakodate, came into collision with a native junk near Kanon Saki, which was sunk in about three minutes. It has not transpired whether any lives were lost or not, but the Chitose sustained so much damage to her stem through the contact that she had to return to Yokohama to effect the necessary repairs.

THE Yokohama defamation of character case, in which a young lady named Ruth Farnsworth claimed \$10,000 damages from Messrs. C. and F. E. White, has terminated unsatisfactorily, the jury after deliberating for three hours and a half being unable to agree on any one of the five points put to them for decision. The Judge, -Mr. N. J. Hannen, seeing there was no possibility of their agreeing, had no alternative but to discharge them.

WE learn that Senhor da Rosa, Governor of Macao, has received a despatch from Sir Harry Parkes, opening negotiations for the rendition of Diaz, the man accused of causing the death of a Chinaman on board the steamer Hankow at Canton, to the British Government. No information has reached us as to Governor Rosa's probable course of action; but doubtless the matter will be referred for the consideration of the Portuguese Government at Lisbon.

FROM the report of the steamship Canton, which arrived from Saigon this morning, it would appear that the weather to the southward has been very boisterous for some time past. The Canton experienced a typhoon on the way down to Saigon when, as the report states, the ship lay perfectly helpless in the trough of the sea. On the voyage up she again encountered typhoon weather, but, so far as we can learn, came through it without loss of life or damage to pro-

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Kyöng-kwi-do	208,090	469,927	434,472	
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Chöl-la-do	360,981	799,973	796,941	
Kyöng-sang-do	457,430		1,037,783	
Hwang-hai-do	228,359	530,791	467,601	
Phyong an do	317,577	779,553	659,782	
Ham-gyöng-do	218,815	563,492	532,236	
Kang-won-do	159,281	378,662	367,781	
Cheju (Quelpacrt)		66,824	67,954	
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FROM an advertisement in another column, will be seen that the Loftus Troupe will not be down here from Japan, until about the 20th the month. So well have these high class artistes been received in Japan that they have been induced to prolong their stay there. Bartley O'Brien, the agent of the Loftus Troupe, who arrived by the French mail steamer Menzaleh from Yokohama to-day, informs that the season of the troupe will open here. shortly after their arrival, when they will appear in Gilbert and Sullivan's popular and celebrated comic opera "The Pirates of Penzance."

SIR WALTER MEDHURST, who has been-acting as immigration agent for the British North Borneo Company in this colony since the agency was first established, leaves for Sandakan and Kudat by the steamship Thales to-morrow afternoon, on his way to England. Sir Walter, whose Chinese reminiscences extend so far back as 1839, has made himself immensely popular with all classes in Hongkong, and his final departure from the country where the best years of a long and useful life have been spent in the public service will be generally regretted. We heartily wish Sir Walter bon voyage, and many years of health and enjoyment at home.

A DIVERRENT version has reached us of the celebrated interview between Li-Hung Chang and Governor Bowen to that published by authority RICHARD A. PROCTOR, in an interesting article in the columns of our evening contemporary. is said that Li-Hung Chang listened with true Chinese imperturbability to Sir George's fulsome compliments, and when our worthy Governor had exhausted his literary knowledge in finding parallel in history to equal the greatness of the all powerful Chinese Viceroy of Chih-li, His Excellency, without moving a muscle of his face, gravely requested his guests to fill their glasses and drink to the health of the distinguished Governor of Hongkong, Sir Jaw Bone, which was the astute Viceroy's not altogether inappropriate pronunciation of Sir Geo, Bowen's name. It is unnecessary to add that the toast was received with acclamation and properly reaponded to by the notables present.

Burmah involves some inconveniences. In spite sequences were not counted, as was the rule in of the frightful sun of that country, it is strictly former times, there was one hand absolutely palace building, or else do so with the body bent' (though it is of course exceedingly unlikely) h King deigns to issue from his private apartments. When he does come, he speaks from behind a screen, and a considential attendant repeats his august words.

WHEN a man is put out of office and wants to THE steamer Stentor arrived at Amoy from this

WHEN Mine. Bernhardt hurried over to England one fine morning last year, and was married by special licence to M. Jacques Damala, a young actor in the troupe with whom she was engaged, there were not a few of her admirers who murmured the old proverb, "Marry in haste and repent at leisure." The leisure has arrived even sooner than is usual, news having come from Paris that a separation between the ill-assorted pair has been "amicably arranged."

THEnewly published "Autobiography of Thurlow Weed," the distinguished New York journalist, who was in England, at the time of the Mason and Slidell affair, asserts that when the draught of the despatch demanding their surrender was read by Lord Palmerston to the Queen, and the consequences of a refusal explained, her Majesty was startled and distressed at the idea of war with America. Taking the despatch to the Prince Consort, who, then in his last illness, was sitting in his apartment, the Queen asked him to read it, saying that she thought the language and spiritharsh and peremptory. The Prince, concurring in this opinion, subjected the despatch to erasures and interlineations, in which amended form it was returned to the Premier. In relating this incident to Sir Henry Holland, the Queen added, "That was the last time the Prince but that he did not know where she was now." used his pen." Mr. Weed also states that on no fewer than three occasions, during the first year of the Rebellion, the Queen contributed essentially to the preservation of peace. On two her Majesty discountenanced suggestions from the French Government which meant war.

It is a curious fact that great orators seldom fail to be nervous with apprehension when about to make an important speech. Luther, to his last years, trembled when he entered the pulpit. The same is true of Robert Hall. Mr. Gough confesses that he is always in a tremor in coming before an audience. Many of the leaders of the House of Commons have given similar testimony. Canning said he could always tell in advance when he was about to make one of his best speeches by a chill running through him, caused by a fear of failure. Lord Derby, the father of the present Earl, when justice on the bench. There is no doubt, howa young man was one of the most impressive speakers in Parliament. He was known as the " Prince Rupert of debate," and seemed so selfpossessed as to be incapable of embarrassment. But he said, "-When-I-am-going-to-speak_my throat and lips are as dry as those of a man who is going to be hanged." Tierney, whom Lord Macaulay calls one of the most fluent debaters ever known, said he never rose in Parliament without feeling his knees knock together. It is ported as we know it is, we very much doubt. one of the compensations of nature, that the nervous temperament which occasions the trembling is also one of the causes of oratorical.

THE London Standard states that Mr. H. C. Lindfield, the inventor of a flying machine, conducted an experiment with his invention the other day between Colmbrook and-West-Drayton. The apparatus, which is described as a steam sailing machine, is constructed of light wood, and is shaped like the frame of a fourwheel carriage, with two large wheels in fron and two small ones behind. Motive power is to be obtained by steam, which will work a nine-bladed screw, and the inventor's idea is to propel the machine by steam on land until it attains a speed of thirty or thirty-five miles, a velocity which he calculates will be sufficient. to lift the machine into the air, when it will be navigated by means of the sails with which it is fitted. From the result of his experiment he is confident that it is possible to fly in the air at the height of a mile. By the permission of the Great Western Railway Company, the experiment was made on the newly finished portion of the railway to Staines, between Colmbrook and West Drayton, and the inventor was accompanied by Mr. Trevithick, the Locomotive Superintendent of the company at Paddington. The machine was placed on a truck and connected with an engine, from whence the steam was derived, and the gearing was manipulated from another truck. The operator succeeded in getting the machine lifted from the truck into the air, and expressed himself fully satisfied with the result of the trial.-

on "poker" in Longman's Magazine, says :- Of the four best classes of hands, there are the following numbers

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Total number of possible hands . It will be seen that those who devised the rules for poker play, set the different hands in very proper order. " It is fitting, for instance." that as there are only forty possible flush soquence hands, out of a total number of 2,598,900 flush sequences should come first, and so with The honor of an audience with the King of the rest. It is noteworthy, however, that when forbidden to open a parasol after passing the unique and unconquerable. The holder of four first palace gate, and then one must cross an aces then wagered on a certainty, for no one enormous courtyard bare-headed, without any clse could hold that hand. At present there is shade except a little fan. One must also either i no absolutely sure winning hand. The holder avoid passing before the central gates of the of the ace, king, queen, knave, ten, flush, may almost at right angles. Finally, when you come met by the holder of the same cards, flush, it to the side door, by which alone it is lawful to another suit. Or when we remember that at enter, you must leave your shoes at the bottom whist it has happened that the deal divided the of the stairs and walk for several hundred yards four suits among the four players, to each over the scorching planks until you reach the complete suit, we see that four players at poker throne hall, where you must squat, taking care might each receive a flush sequence headed by to hide your feet as much as possible, until the the ace. Thus the use of sequences has saved poker players from the possible risk of having either to stand out or wager on a certainty, which last would be very painful to the feelings of professional gambler,

port on the morning of the 30th ulto, and after landing mails and passengers proceeded on to Shanghai.

WHEN some celebrated paintings of Adam and Eve were on exhibition. Mr.M'Nab was taken to see them, and was asked for his opinion.—"I think no great things of the painter," said the great gardener. "Why, man, only think of Eve's tempting Adam wi' a pippin of a variety that wasna known until about twenty years ago."

An unemployed cook named Chow Akeung, halling from the City of Rams, was charged on remand before Captain Thomsett at the Police Court this morning with stealing \$60, the property of a widow named Foo Ahong, a boatwoman. It appears the widow had the money in a box in the stern of her boat, where she observed the cook and her daughter site ting, they being lovers. After they left, she. found to her dismay that her box, had been broken open and the money; extracted, so she went to hunt the pair up. She met the cook in Scott Lane on Tuesday morning and taxed him with the robbery, but he denied it. However, she gave the culinary adeptain charge, and on being searched at the station, # \$25 note and four silver dollars were found upon him. a portion of the stolen money. Seeing the case, strong againt him, the defendant admitted that the girl, his sweetheart, gave him the money, Captain Thomsett, however, who is impervious apparently to considerations into which love matters enter, consigned Chow Akeung to three months' hard labor in Hayward's Repository, during which period the cook will be separated. from the dear object of his affections.

A CHINAMAN named Pun Aying, described as of no occupation, was fined two hundred dollars or six months imprisonment this morning by Mr. Wodehouse for keeping an agency for the sale of Tre fa lottery tickets at 98 Queen's Road West, and failing to come up to time with the Mexicans, went to gaol with a very mournful expression of countenance. He admitted the charge, but pleaded that his establishment was conducted on a very small scale. This, however, failed to move his Worship's commiscration, magistrates being proverbially hard-hearted when administering ever, that stern repressive measures are needed to put down this particular form of gambling, which prevails to an enormous extent in the Colony, and indulgence in which is not by any means confined to the native community. Its votaries are to be found among several other nationalities, and in fact it is quite the rage among certain classes of the community. That it can he effectually grappled with by the Police, sup-It would be just as easy to suppress the Manila. lottery. Here and there the police may pounce upon an agency, but as one is suppressed two or three others spring up. The game furnishes occupation to a large number of native brokers, who manage to make a good thing out of it.

SHANGHAI AUTUMN MEETING,

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, AND SATURDAY, 1st, and and 3rd November. Stewards:—J. M. Ringer, Esq.; W. Paterson, Esq.; A McLeod, Esq.; St. Michaelsen, Esq.; Myburgh, Esq.; W. Howie, Esq.; and F. D.

(By Telegram.) FIRST DAY, THURSDAY, 1ST NOVEMBER. The MALOO PLATE, value Tis. 100; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tls. 5. Half-a-Mile.

Mr. Arthur's gr. Cheapside, tost. talb...... The CRITERION STAKES, a Sweepstakes of Tis. 10 each, with Tls. 150 added; for China Ponies; weight for inches as per scale; second pony to save his stake One Mile.

Mr. Bill's gr. Allegro, 11st. 1lb. .. (Mr. Brandt) The MAIDEN STARES, value, Tis. 250; second pony, Tis. 50; last pony to pay third pony's entrance; for China Ponies that have never run at any Meeting; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tise to. Three Quarters of a

Mr. Godolphin's gr. Nectar, tost olb......

The CLUB CUP, value, Tls. 150, added to a Sweepstakes of Tls. 5 each; for China Ponles; weight for inches as per scale. Two Miles. Mr. Paul's br. Shamrock, lost 12ib.

The JOCKEY CUP, value, Tis, 100; for China Ponies that have never won a Racer to be ridden by Jockeys who have never had a winning mount before the Meeting, weight, 11st. entrance, Tls. 5. One Mile.

Mr. Pallet's gr. La Rose, 11st. olb...... The PAGODA CUP, value, Tis. 150; second pony, Tis. 50; for China Ponies, being bond fide Griffins at date of entry; weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tis. 5. One Mile and a

Mr. Goet's sk. Herschel, 10st, 12lb.

The RACING STAKES, a Sweepstakes of Tis. You mach; for China Ponies; weight for inches the per scale; Griffins at date of entry allowed Jiban | One Mile and a Quarter.

Ponies (without the restriction to height specified in Byo Law No. 11) not otherwise entered at this Meeting, and that have never won a Race; weight, tost 12b; entrance, Tla. 5.

Mr. Cabell's dun Dunkeld, 10st, 12lb.....

SECOND DAY-FRIDAY, 2ND NOVEMBER. The NORTHERN CUP, value, Tls. 100) for China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winner of the Maloo Plate, tolbs. extra ; entrance. The Willia Mile.

The SHANGHAI ST. LEGER. & Sweepstakes Tig. 15 each, with Tis. 100 added; first pon to receive 75 per cent.; second pony to receive for China ponies that have never been raced previous to the last January, 1884; weight, lost 7lbs; winners of one race, 5lbs. extra two or more races, 10lbs. extra. One Mile and Three Quarters. Piccadilly

For Sale.

ANE, CRAWFORD & Co., HAVE RECEIVED THE FOLLOWING

NEW GOODS.

TENDERS and Fire-irons, New Fire-guards and Coal Vases, Kerosine Cooking Stoves, Hinks's "Duplex" Table Lamps in new designs, New Folding Lamp Shades, Linen "Dagmar" Shades, "Saratoga" Trunks and Ladies' Dress Trunks, Travelling Bags and Hold-alls, Despatch Boxes and Portfolios, New "Slider" Playing Cards, "Moguls" and "Squeezers." Call Bells, Scrap Books, New Office Sundries, Christmas Cards in New Prize Designs, Menu and Name Cards, Porcelain Menu Tablets,

Artists' Materials and new Canvases, Air Beds and Cushions, New Cutlery, Christy's Felt-Hats in New Shapes and Colours, Eliwood's Felt-Hats on Cork, Cricketing Caps and "Tam-o-Shanter" Caps, Tennis Sets, Tennis Bats, Tennis Balls, Cricket Bats, Balls and Stumps. Guns and Sportsmans Sundries, Cope's Tobaccos, Fresh Golden Cloud

Fresh Birdseye and Mixture, Manila and Penang Cigars, New Saddlery, Whips and Fly Switches, Curry Combs and Brushes, Saddles and Saddle-cloths.

LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 25th October, 1883.

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WINE AND SPIRIT MERCHANT, HONGKONG HOTEL BUILDINGS, HAS FOR SALE.

FINE ASSORTMENT WHITE AND RED BURGUNDIES, GRAND HERMITAGE,

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PERFUMERY, Hongkong, 17th October, 1883.

Insurances.

HE Undersigned have been appointed.
AGENTS to the NEW YORK BOARD of UNDERWRITERS._____ ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

DECORD of AMERICAN and FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Agents, ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 15th June, 1881.

NOTICE.

THE MAN ON INSURANCE COMPANY. LIMITED.

The above Company is prepared to accept MARINE RISKS at CURRENT RATES On GOODS. &c. Policies granted to all Parts of the world payable at any of its Agencies. WOO LIN YUEN,

HEAD OFFICE; No. 2, QUEEN'S ROAD WEST. Hongkong, 1st February, 1882.

TANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION

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TOTAL CAPITAL and ACCUMULATIONS, 31stTls. 968,235.56 March, 1883.......

DIRECTORS F. D. HITCH, Esq., Chairman. C. LUCAS, Esq. WM. MEYERINE, Esq. .J.M. INVERARITY, Esq. G. H. WHEELER, Esq.

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ther Shareholders or not) in proportion to the premia paid by them, RUSSRLL & Co.,

Hongkong, agth May, 1883.

GENERAL NOTICE.

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Hongkong, 1st. September, 1882,....

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

R. J. M. GUEDES has received instruc-IVI 'tions' from the MORTGAGEE to Sell by Public Auction, on MONDAY,

the 5th November, 1883, at Two o'CLOCK P.M., at the Premises. A VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY, SITUATE IN

HOLLYWOOD ROAD, Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong.

those Pieces or Parcels of GROUND Registered in the Land Office as Subsection No. 1 of Section A of INLAND LOT No. 90, and Section C of INLAND LOT No. 90 with the Messuages or Tenements thereon being Nos. 83, 85, 87, 89, 91 and 93, Hollywood Road, as the same Premises are held for the residue of a term of 75 years and for the further term of 924 years subject to the payment of the due proportions of the rents and to the performance of the Covenants and Conditions reserved by and contained in the Crown Lease of the whole of the said Inland Lot No. 90, and the extension

The Property is sold subject to the existing ettings thereof respectively.

For Further-Particulars of the Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to

BRERETON, WOTTON, & DEACON, Solicitors for the Mortgagee, Hongkong,

....J. M. GUEDES, Auctioneer

Hongkong, 19th October, 1883.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instructions from the MORTGAGEE, to Sell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY. the 8th November, 1883, at THREE P.M., at the Premises, all that VALUABLE LEASEHOLD PROPERTY.

KNOWN AS THE TUNG HING THEATRE POMMARD, Situate in Victoria, in the Colony of Hongkong, All that Piece of GROUND registered as

INLAND LOT No. 700, and measuring on the North 100 feet, on the South 100 feet, on the East 200 feet, and on the West 200 feet and containing in the whole 20,000 square feet. Together with the Theatre known as the Tung Hing THEATRE and all the other

erections and buildings thereon. Held for the residue of a term of 999 years, at the Yearly Crown Rent of \$66.12. For Further Particulars of the Property and Conditions of Sale, apply to

SHARP, TOLLER, & JOHNSON, Solicitors for the Mortgagee,

J. M. GUEDES, Hongkong, 26th October, 1883,

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned has received instructions I from the Mortgager to Sell by Public Auction, on

the 12th November, 1883, on the Spot,-The Parcel of GROUND registered in the Land Office as SOWKIWAN LOT No. 109, measuring on the North and South so feet, East and West 150 feet or 7500 square feet.

Yearly Crown Rent £3.8.10. Held for 999 years from 16th January, 1860. For Terms of Sale and Particulars, apply to J. M. GUEDES,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, 1st November, 1883.

Intimations.

INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

SECOND and FINAL BONUS of Five - per cent. on Contributions and a DIVI-DEND of EIGHTEEN DOLLARS and TWENTY-MINE CENTS per SHARE for the year 1882, will be Payable on MONDAY, the 22nd instant,

Warrants may be had on application at the Office of the Society on and after that date, By Order of the Board, Douglas Jones,

Hongkong, 22nd October, 1883.

CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,

ADJUSTMENT OF BONUS FOR THE YEAR 1862.

CHAREHOLDERS are hereby requested to soud in to this Office a List of their Contributions of Premis for the year ended 31st December last, in order that the proportion of Profit for that year to be paid as Bonus, to Contributors may be arranged. Returns not sent in before the 30th November next, will be made up by the Company, and no subsequent claims or: alterations will be allowed. By Order of the Directors,

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Hongkong, 1st September, 1883. [673

N. BOARD the River Steamer: POWAN," an IRON TRUNK containing Books, PAPERS, CLOTHING, &c.

The above has probably been taken away by mistake by some Passenger, and the OWNER will feel greatly obliged by its being RETURNED on board the Steamer as early as possible. Hongkong, 9th October, 1883. [759

SIGNOR ANTONIO CATTANEO, of the Conservatoire DE BERGAMO and late of the Royal Italian Opera Company has the bonor to inform the community that he has lessons in Music, Singing and the Planoforte.

CHARGES STRICTLY MODERATE.

Address Messis. KELLY & WALSH, Queen's Road. Hongkong, 1st March, 1883. [168] Hongkong, 6th October, 1883.

Intimations.

SAYLE & CO.'S

SHOW-ROOMS.

JUST RECEIVED EX "GLENELG" AND NOW SHOWING.

THEAP TRIMMED MILLINERY IN LATEST STYLES.

Hongkong, 8th October, 1883.

SPECIALITIES IN BEAVER, FELT AND STRAW HATS AND BONNETS IN NEWEST SHAPES.

FEATHERS, FLOWERS, MILLINERY, SILKS,

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Hongkong, 22nd October, 1883.

ROSE & Co. 31 AND 33, QUEEN'S ROAD.

COPE'S STRAIGHT CUT.

HAVE JUST LANDED.

FRESH TOBACCOS.

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GEMS OF DANCE. WALDTEUFEL ALBUM. MUSICAL FAVORITE. SUNSHINE OF SONG. SILVER WREATH. LA CREME DE LA CREME.

ROBERT FRAUN'S ALBUM.

Hongkong, 44th October, 1883.

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NEW FANCY STATIONERY IN GREAT VARIETY.

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Consignees.

UNION LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

"CAIRNSMUIR," Captain Castle, having arrived from the above

Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested. to send in their Bills of Lading to the Under-signed for Countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Steamer will be at once landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense and no Fire Insurance will be

effected. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Yokohama unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, TO-DAY, the 27th inst. All Claims against the Steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the 3rd November, or they will not be recognised.

RUSSELL & Co., Hongkong, 27th October, 1883.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo per Steamship re-embarkation there of the Holder of the the above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from along-

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

F. E. FOSTER. Hongkong, 29th October, 1883.

Notices of Firms.

UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF CANTON, LIMITED.

HE-Undersigned has resumed charge as SECRETARY of the Society. By Order of the Board

N. J. EDE, Secretary. Hongkong, 29th October, 1883.

NOTICE. THE Undersigned have been appointed Agents of the CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COM-

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, 19th October, 1883.

EROM this date Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. will conduct our Business at this Port, and all Communications should be addressed to them. Messrs. RUSSELL & Co. will also act as Agents at this Port for our line of Steamers.

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, 1st August, 1883.

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TO LET.

TAIRLEA," BONHAM ROAD. Offices and Compradore's Quarters No. 19, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, now occupied by Messrs. Francie Horniusjee & Co. Posses-

sion from 16th January, 1884. Apply to E., R. BELILIOS.

Hongkong, 1st November, 1883. APARTMENTS TO LET,

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MODERATE TERMS. At the Office of this Paper.

TO LET,

Hongkong, 1st November, 1883.

THE Upper Portion of the Eastern Wing of BAXTER HOUSE, containing 4 Large Rooms, Bath-room, &c., Water laid on and every convenience, Furnished or Unfurnished. Terms

Moderate. For Particulars, apply to

Care of Hongkong Telegraph Office. Hongkong, 12th October, 1883. [771

TO LET.

CTOCKWELL COTTAGE" near to the Kowloon, containing Four Rooms and Large Centre Room, Servants' Rooms and Outhouses, Gardens and Tennis Lawn, &c. Within Three Minutes Walk of the Pier.

For Particulars, apply to the last series ... of feeling STEPHENS & HOLMES, Hongkong, 22nd September, 1883.

THE PREMISES now occupied by us I No. 11, Queen's Road Central. For further | Particulars, apply to Messrs. RUSSELL, & Co. (1982)

GEO. R. STEVENS & Co. Hongkong, 1st August, 1883.

DISNEE VILLA." Pokfoolum, Furnished.

Apply to Physical Apply Township DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, 18th October, 1883.

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THE Steamship

Steamer from CHINA.

Labie, Commander, will sail on or about the 7th November, for MARSEILLES. VIA SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, and SUEZ; and with leave to call at PENANG and TUTICORIN. In connection with these Steamers the Company runs a Line from MARSEILLES to HAVRE and LONDON, leaving MARSEILLES after arrival of the

The Company also runs Steamers regularly from MARSEILLES to numerous Ports in the MEDITERRANEAN and BLACK SEA, by which through fraight may be booked.

The Company has a Forwarding Agency at Paris, 9, Rue de Rougemont, giving special facilities to Shippers.

Each Steamer carries a Surgeon and Stewardess. The Line is noted for its Cuisine and Beer and Table Wines are included in the Passage

RETURN TICKETS are now granted by the Steamers of this line available for the undermentioned periods, to be reckoned from the date of arrival at Marseilles of the Steamer for which the Ticket is issued to the date of

Special rates are arranged for families. For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

Hongkong, 8th October, 1883.

SAILING VESSELS. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

THE 2/2 L I. I. British Ship "CHARLES BAL" Watson, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 3rd October, 1883.

> FOR NEW YORK. HE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship

"OTTO." Fortmann, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 1st November, 1883. FOR NEW YORK. THE 3/3 L. I. I. German Ship

Seemann, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co."

"GUSTAV & OSCAR,"

Hongkong, 25th October, 1883.

Mails. OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAM-

SHIP COMPANY. TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO: JAPAN. THE UNITED STATES

MEXICO. CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS,

ATLANTIC AND OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

THE Steamship will be despatched for San Francisco, vid Yokohama, with the option of calling at Honolulu, on SATURDAY, the 17th November, at THREE P.M. Connection being made at Yokohama with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan Ports. All PARCEL PACKAGES should be marked to

address in full ; and same will be received at the

Company's Office until FIVE P.M. the day previous to sailing. RETURN PASSAGES .- Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-embarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within. six months, will be allowed a discount of 20 per cent, from Return Fare ; if re-embarking within one year, an allowance of 10 per cent. will be made from Return Fare. Pre-Paid Return Passage: Orders, available for one year, will be issued at a Discount of at per cent, from Return Fare. These allowances do not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular . Invoices : to accompany . Overland,

dressed to the Collector of Customs, San Fran-For further information as to Freight or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company No. 50A, Queen's Road Central : F. E. FOSTER

Mexican, Central, and South American Cargo,

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Hongkong/ 27th October, 1883.

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The proprietor offers the Wash to the public entirely confident that by its restorative properties it will without fail arrest decaying hair. It completely eradicates scurf dandruff, and cures all diseases of the scalp. It does not contain any poisonous drugs By its cooling properties it allays the itching and fever of the [607] scalp, which is the great cause of people losing their hair.

Mr. Moors has succeeded in being able to put this wash up in bottles without allowing it to terment, and he will guarantee it to keep any length of time in any climate. FOR SALE, ONLY BY MOORE & Co. VARIETY STORE

Queen's Road Central Hongkong, 25th January, 1883.